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Art Unit: 3671	Title: MOWER HEAD WITH MOVABLE GUARD	

To the Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith is a (an) Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee(s) has (have) been calculated as shown below.

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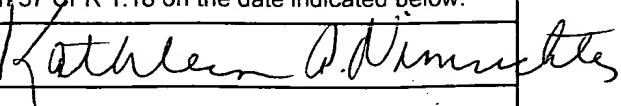
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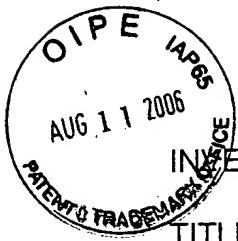
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PATENT

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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Decision on Appeal dated March 31, 2006, please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.